

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:	Atty. Docket No.: 006401.00435
Barresi et al.	
Serial No.: 10/696,374	Group Art Unit: 1615
Filed: October 29, 2003	Examiner: Neil S. Levy
For: BIODEGRADABLE SORBENTS	

Response

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 10, 2006, please reconsider the application in light of the following remarks.

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